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COUNTRY	East Germany	REPORT	
TOPIC	Military Information from the Templin and Lieberose Troop Training Grounds		
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REMARKS	This is UNEVALUATED		

1. On 15 May 1954, Camp Kannenburg at the Templin troop training grounds was occupied to capacity. Numerous individual vehicles carrying furniture and families entered the camp from the direction of Prenzlau after about 10 May.¹ Reports were daily heard from the training area since late April. 25X1
2. Shipments which passed through Templin, proceeding toward Prenzlau-Eberswalde, between 3 and 4 May included:
- 2 May. At 9:45 p.m., 14 trucks with small pontoons, coming from the direction of Zehdenick.
- At 10 p.m., 10 trucks with engineer equipment.
- 4 May. At 1:30 a.m., 16 trucks with engineer equipment.²
3. [redacted] the quarters in the camp northeast of Jamnitz at the Lieberose troop training grounds were in a very poor condition and facilities were inadequate. The families of almost all officers were quartered in the camp. Officers' dependents were permitted to leave the camp only with a pass, which was difficult to get. There was a shortage of food stuff in the commissaries. EM were not permitted to drink alcoholic beverages in the camp. Morale of the troops, therefore, was very poor, the more as officers allegedly were repeatedly observed at drinking parties. 25X1
1. Comment. The information indicates that elements of the 25th Tank Div from Prenzlau moved to Camp Kannenburg. [redacted] The quartering in the camp of dependents is confirmed by observations in paragraph 1. 25X1
2. Comment. Source probably observed shipments of equipment, rather than units. 25X1

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